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Dear Client,

It has been a while since our last mailer. We apologize for this, but for two important reasons, we just have not had the time to put one out.

AMERICAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION CONVENTION

First of all, we were busy preparing for the fabulous A.N.A. convention in Los Angeles, which took place last month — but it was worth it! What a convention it was! Truly choice coins were in great demand and we did a land office business. It seems as though the supply of really choice condition United States coins is really drying up fast. Many items which were available in quantity as recently as a year ago can no longer be found at all. It is only a matter of time before prices will go through the roof on top condition items.

But far more important than the business we did there...we had the great pleasure of meeting many of our valued clients in person. I met one fellow, for the first time in person, who has been a customer since we first started in business, nearly seven years ago.

It is especially gratifying to hear the nice comments of our fine customers about the quality, service and value we have strived to deliver for the past seven years.

THE NEW ENGLAND NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION AUCTION

The second reason we have been late is that we have been preparing the auction catalog for the New England Numismatic Association Auction at the Copley Plaza Hotel in Boston, November 7-9. We are conducting the auction sale for that convention and it promises to be quite an event.

We have been consigned over 800 top quality lots of U.S. coins and currency, U.S. Colonials and Colonial paper, foreign gold, crowns and minors, mint errors and even a few rare medals. Every lot will be sold strictly unreserved.

Some of the highlights of the sale include:

- [illegible] 50 Confederate Counterfeit Notes.
- A High grade [illegible] Dollar.
- [illegible] 1794 Silver Dollar.
- [illegible] Maryland Gold Medal over A Penny.
- Choice Maryland Gold Settlement Shilling.
- The Finest Known Pre-Colonial Shilling (AU-58)!
- Two Pattern Talbot & Penny, including one which appears to be struck in silver.
- Twelve Colonial 1776 - 1794's.
- The Finest Proof Large Cent we have ever seen!
- The Finest Known 1804 Silver Dollar Copy! When 85, we'll auction this full unspotted original mint roll.
- A complete set of 1c Coinage, all Issues 1856-58 are in Proof.
- Other Dollar 1795 Half Dimes, 1809 and 1829 Dimes, Mint quarter.
- Proof 1794 Half Dollar.
- The Finest Known 1804 Dollar.
- Dollars, Proofs 1859 [illegible] 1874 Gobrecht.
- High grade 1861 and 1863 Confederate Copper.

Plan to attend this event. We will be happy to make hotel reservations for you. Just call and ask for Suzanne or Sandy. I hope to meet as many of you as possible there. Bring your entire family with us, as there is much to do and see in Boston.

If you can't make it to the sale, you may bid by mail. If you received this pricelist by mail, you will be sent a copy of the Auction Catalog within a week or two. However, if you are not on our mailing list, you may obtain a copy of the sale catalog (and subsequently, the list of prices realized which will be issued after the sale) by sending $2.00 to New England Rare Coin Auctions, 1661 Worcester Road, Suite 101, Framingham, Mass. 01701.

We feel that the catalog will be a collector's item in the years to come.

MAILER #24

In spite of the fact that we have been busy (to say the least), we have managed to add quite a number of new pieces to our inventory. I hope that we have offered you something you need. Happy hunting!

Best wishes,

Jim Halperin

Jim Halperin
President

SHOW SCHEDULE

We will soon be at the following shows and hope that if you are in the area, you will stop by our table. A superb selection of United States coinage will be on display for your consideration. We are also eager to purchase desirable items.

October 10-12
Middle Atlantic Numismatic Association
Benton Convention Center
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

October 16-19
Long Beach Coin & Stamp
Long Beach Arena
Long Beach, California

November 7-9
New England Numismatic Association
Copley Plaza Hotel
Boston, Massachusetts

November 20-23
Greater Eastern Numismatic Association
Sheraton Hotel
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

NUMISMATIC BOOKS

New England Rare Coin Galleries is offering for sale a selection of numismatic books. We have always encouraged our clients to inform themselves as much as possible about the coins they are buying. This is not entirely without motive. The fact is that most of our customers are very knowledgeable about the coins they buy from us. We feel that this is because it is the most knowledgeable buyers that are best able to recognize the consistent quality and value that we deliver. So there is a somewhat selfish reason that we advise: "Buy the book before you buy the coin." Often the book turns out to be the biggest bargain.

Packed with helpful information for coin collectors. In addition to a Catalog and Standard Price List (1616 to date) this book presents a most interesting brief history of American coinage. Fully illustrated. 1976 Edition just out..... 3.95

All U.S. coins, including die varieties are included in this mammoth book, which presents a new approach to classification problems. Contains a newly assigned numbering system for many coins and a wealth of general information. Each coin is fully priced in all known or collectable grades. 1st Edition, hard cover..... 15.00

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This is an excellent photographic grading guide for U.S. coins from 1793 to date. Great care in photographing and the finest quality printing has produced faithful and easily identifiable reproductions of over 1,000 actual coins..... 2.95

The well-known authority, Dr. Judd, covers this highly specialized subject with depth and knowledge. The most comprehensive book of its kind ever published. Hard cover edition. New fifth edition, revised by Abe Kosoff... 15.00

Covers coins of all coin-issuing countries in the world, in all metals, issued during approximately the last 100 years. Coins are chronologically listed, and grouped by metallic content, type and denomination. Each coin type is identified by catalog number, denomination and date of issue. Estimated value is shown for each type and denomination. 7.00

Authoritative information with many illustrations. The number one book in its field. Almost 300 years of Canada's history are mirrored in its coins, tokens and paper money. Also covers regular issues of Newfoundland, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. Yearly revision keep all information and prices up to date..... 3.95

America's only unwanted, unhonored coin plays a starring role in this book. The author examines the beginnings of the trade dollar movement throughout the world in a capsule-type history of the China Trade. Appendices supply material on rarity and value of U.S. and foreign trade dollars..... 7.50

Published by Whitman. Includes complete decimal series, latest retail values, coin and token varieties, all pre-confederation issues and modern paper money. Many illustrations and general information. Soft cover..... 1.75

The first coin book to be illustrated entirely with full-color photographs! This exciting survey of gold coins from ancient times is filled with historic fact and intriguing anecdote. Turning the pages is an adventure, like browsing through an album of real coins. The warm color and the glitter and softness of gold have been captured in 484 reproductions, mostly 2½ times actual diameter - bigger and better than life! New - the perfect numismatic gift..... 25.00

This new, expanded edition, complete with many illustrations, is a hard-cover book published by Whitman. Much added information to the original now makes this book a "must" reference book..... 3.50

COINS OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE IN MINIATURE by Howard L. Bridgeman
The scope of this work covers the period from the minting of the first British Crown - the hand struck Edward VI issue of 1551 - down to the present. Crowns issued in the name of member states of the British empire are also included. The catalog with numbers assigned, is arranged in the order of the reigning dates of the British monarchs, with each of these groupings led off by short resumes of the reign and its crown issues. The catalog listings which follow are fully described as to obverse, reverse and edge devices, complete with translations. Individual dates and mint marks or other varieties of issue are listed and numbered, complete with valuations. Hardbound 6X9, 170 pages, illustrated.... 5.00

COUNTERFEIT, MIS-STRUCK, AND UNOFFICIAL U.S. COINS by Don Taxay
A guide for the detection of cast and struck counterfeits, electrotypes and altered coins; exposes every known technique of counterfeiting and shows collectors means by which to detect these spurious issues..... 4.50

AN ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF U.S. COMMEMORATIVE COINAGE by Don Taxay
Here is the first book to tell the complete, behind-the-scenes history of our commemorative coinage - coins struck on private account and intended primarily as souvenirs 6.50

THE U.S. MINT AND COINAGE by Don Taxay
A unique and comprehensive history of American coinage accompanied by illustrations of old and new Mint operations and by artist's sketches, as well as by eighty pages of plates showing the various coins of the Mint, trial pieces, dies, and accepted and discarded designs for coins..... 12.50

HOW YOU CAN MAKE BIG PROFITS INVESTING IN COINS by Harry J. Forman
Here, for the first time, is a numismatic investment guide actually written by a professional who earns his entire living practicing what he preaches. It covers every aspect of American numismatics and includes discussions also of foreign and ancient coins. Mr. Forman analyzes each area in detail, showing its past earnings and potential for future profits. He tells how, in numismatics, there are always big profits to be made if one simply knows when and what to buy and sell. A detailed examination is also made of the silver and gold markets and their effects on the value of U.S. and Foreign coins. 6.50

DETECTING ALTERED COINS by Bert Hareche
With the tremendous growth of the numismatic hobby and a corresponding increase in altered coins, this book on how to identify altered coins is a valuable reference especially for the beginning collector. Illustrated with photographs. Now 48 pages..... 1.00

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WHO'S GOING FIRST
NEW ENGLAND'S LARGEST
AND MOST ACTIVE RARE COIN DEALERSHIP

OUR POLICY

Here at New England Rare Coin Galleries, the emphasis is always on quality since we believe that top quality more than pays for itself in the long run. If you agree with our philosophy, then we surely have what you are looking for!

QUALITY AND VALUE
We grade all of our coins accurately and conservatively, and if there is any doubt, we always grade in the customer's favor. Quite often our "AU" coins will be equivalent to, or better than, coins offered as "EF" or even "Choice BU" by some other coin sellers. All coins are described as fully and accurately as possible and since we don't believe in pushing grades or ignoring defects, weak strikes, minor scratches, nicks or signs of cleaning are always mentioned.

This is why our prices may seem higher at times, so if you are shopping prices, make sure you shop grading standards as well. An overgraded coin is seldom a bargain, even at so-called "bargain" price.

The very fact that many of America's leading and most knowledgeable dealers, collectors and investors continue to buy at an ever increasing rate from N.E.R.C.G. should be testimony to the fact that we do indeed offer you the best possible value per dollar spent on today's market.

EXPERTISE
Our staff is comprised of some of America's finest and most knowledgeable numismatists who can guarantee authenticity because they know the difference. In fact, members of our staff are often called upon as consultants in authentication by museums, government agencies and other coin dealers. Members of our staff stay in constant touch with the coin market by attending virtually every major coin show and many major auctions. We are members of the F.A.C.T.S. national teletype circuit and thus have extensive direct contact with all aspects of the rare coin market. We understand the true values of rare coins which gives us the ability to offer our customers meaningful advice as to which coins are likely to prove to be the best possible investment. Rather than base our advise solely upon minor figures which can be misleading, we prefer to base it upon true rarity, current demand versus anticipated future demand, past performance and several other aspects of market trends.

With our help, our customers have made tremendous profits by investing in rare coins. In fact, the gains made by our investment clients have far outpaced the coin market in general.

PROFESSIONAL INTEGRITY
New England Rare Coin Galleries' reputation for delivering quality, value and service is second to none and has made us one of the most respected names in the industry.

Jim Halperin and Russ Vaughn of our staff are currently among the nation's leading membership recruiters for the American Numismatic Association. Members of our staff are also members in good standing of such national numismatic associations as B.R.N.A., C.S.N.A., G.E.N.A., M.A.N.A., R.C.D.A. and many others. Also, for the past three years, our firm has received the Krause Publications (Publishers of "Numismatic News" and "Coinage" magazines) Customer Service Award.

We consistently offer correctly graded coins at fair prices because at N.E.R.C.G. we are looking for long term repeat business, not one time sales. Our policy of offering sincere advice to our clients, rather than touting the investment potential of coins we don't really feel are good values, has payed tremendous dividends to our clients and ultimately to ourselves as well.

SERVICE

We are here to meet your every numismatic need and can offer you competent advice on virtually any aspect of numismatics or the rare coin market. We are always in a position to obtain the items you desire for your collection or portfolio.

We feel that our mail order service is unsurpassed in the rare coin industry since all orders are processed and mailed to you the same day they are received. All packages are shipped fully insured or registered and all non-local orders are sent via AIR MAIL. We know you don't like to wait any longer than necessary to receive your coins and that is why filling your orders quickly and efficiently is so important to us. If you try our service, we guarantee you will be pleased.

WANT LISTS

Nearly half the coins we handle never appear in an advertisement or catalog. Instead, they are sold immediately upon purchase to customers who have sent us their want list, since at N.E.R.C.G., want lists are serviced, not ignored. If you are looking for a particular coin, or coins in a particular grade, please send us a list and we'll do our best to locate them for you. Of course, there is never any obligation on your part.

INVESTMENT COUNSELING

Members of our staff are always in a position to advise you as to the coins which we feel will offer you the best return per dollar invested based on your anticipated holding period. We are extensively involved in all phases of the coin market and no one is more qualified than we to recognize truly scarce and underpriced numismatic items.

Although we do not recommend the purchase of rare coins as a short term investment, we feel that for long term investment, no better medium exists. Investment packages can be tailor made to your individual needs and if you would like to discuss this service, please call us and ask for Christopher Tracey.

SELECTION

We actually have greater difficulty in purchasing quality coins than we do in selling them. Fortunately, our sources in this regard are nearly unsurpassable. Many of America's leading dealers and collectors regularly call on us with rare and desirable numismatic properties. Our high volume, low margin of profit business allows us to pay competitive and often record breaking prices for rare coins.

Members of our staff attend virtually every major coin convention and examine several million dollars worth of coins each week so that we may bring our customers the very best values from other dealers' inventories.

As a point of interest, we do not hold back portions of our inventory and keep the best investments for ourselves as many dealers do since we feel that our valued customers deserve to profit from this incredible market. In fact, all of our new purchases are immediately available for sale as soon as we catalog and price them.

Our inventory, which consists of approximately two million dollars worth of numismatic United States coins alone, is one of the largest and most comprehensive in the nation. Our business is to meet our clients' needs and we think we do an excellent job of it.

ALTERNATE CHOICES

We attempt to price and grade all our coins to be outstanding values, so naturally, choice, desirable coins that are priced to sell (and most of the coins which we offer for sale fit into that category) cannot be expected to remain unsold for long.

Invariably, when we publish our advertisements and catalogs and price lists, we will get multiple orders -- often as many as 10 or 15 orders for the same coin. Since nearly all items are one or two of a kind, we often must disappoint our customers with "sold out" letters and refund checks. This is certainly regrettable, but the alternative of pricing our coins higher to avoid multiple orders doesn't appeal to us, nor would we expect it to appeal to our customers.

Therefore, all we can advise is to please order as soon as you can and list second choices if possible. Naturally, we will never use your second choice listing unless we are sold out of your first choice.

TELEPHONE SERVICE

You may reserve any coins from our advertisements or catalogs by telephoning us Monday through Friday between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., E.S.T. at (617) 878-7711. On orders of $100 or more, you may use our toll free WATS line (800) 225-3858 from anywhere in the Continental United States except Massachusetts.

MASTER CHARGE and BANKAMERICARD are welcome. However, we request that a written order be sent which must contain your signature as it appears on your card along with all the raised information. You may call to reserve items to be held for by credit cards, but the coins will be held pending receipt of your written order.

TERMS OF SALE

1. Please enclose full remittance with your order unless you have previously established credit with us. Massachusetts residents only, please add 3% sales tax or else furnish us with your tax-exempt resale number. An immediate refund will be sent on all items which have already been sold.

2. All orders of $10 or more are sent postpaid to U.S. addresses. On orders under $10 please add 50¢ for postage. On foreign orders under $100, please add $2 for postage.

3. RETURN PRIVILEGE: We offer a full 10 day return privilege on all coins. This means that any coin may be returned within 10 days from receipt for an immediate refund...for any reason or for no reason at all! All coins carry a lifetime guarantee of authenticity.

4. All items are subject to prior sale and all prices are subject to change without notice. This listing cancels all previous prices for any item listed here.

5. APPROVAL SERVICE: Coins can be sent to you on approval if you have previously established credit with us. Please send us banking references and at least two numismatic references if possible.

6. You may examine coins in person at our office which is conveniently located off Exit 12-W of the Massachusetts Turnpike, directly behind the Sheraton-Tara Hotel. Since all coins are kept in bank vaults, please call at least 30 minutes in advance so that we may have the coins available for your viewing.

OFFICE HOURS

We are open Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

COIN QUIZ

1. The first U.S. Cent considered to be a regular issue is

   A. 1792 Birch Cent
   B. 1792 Cent with silver center
   C. 1793 Chain AMERI

2. The only U.S. coin ever issued in platinum was a pattern issue dated 1814. Its denomination was

   A. Half Dollar
   B. Double Eagle ($20)
   C. $100

3. The Lincoln Cent was first issued in 1909. The only year of Lincoln cents not issued in Philadelphia was

   A. 1922
   B. 1955
   C. Lincoln Cents have been minted in Philadelphia every year since 1909.

4. A $4 gold piece is called a "Stella". A $20 gold piece is called a "Double Eagle." What is the name for a U.S. 3¢ silver piece?

5. How many Bust Half Dimes are there in an original roll?

   A. 40
   B. 50
   C. 75

6. The first dime issued by the U.S. mint was dated

   A. 1792
   B. 1795
   C. 1796

7. "E.G. Fecit" on some varieties of Continental Dollars refers to

   A. The designer, Elisha Gallaudet
   B. The Latin maxim: Ergo Gelliae Fecit meaning, "Thus freedoms must prevail"
   C. The meaning and significance of E.G. Fecit remains a mystery to this day.

8. The American Numismatic Association was organized in

   A. 1891
   B. 1934
   C. 1946

9. The Sheldon grading scale rates coins numerically. It breaks down all conditions based on a scale of 1 to

   A. 10
   B. 70
   C. 100

10. The rarest date Peace Dollar is

    A. 1921
    B. 1928
    C. 1934-S

11. The rarest date Peace Dollar in uncirculated condition is

    A. 1921
    B. 1928
    C. 1934-S

12. The rarest existing Indian Cent in Proof condition is

    A. 1856 Flying Eagle
    B. 1864-L
    C. 1877

13. The rarest U.S. $20 gold piece that may be legally owned in the United States is

    A. 1856-O
    B. 1861 Paquet reverse
    C. 1870-CC

14. The two rarest U.S. $20 gold pieces cannot be legally owned. Which dates are they?

15. All of the following coins are rare. Only one is unknown in any collection. Which is it?

    A. 1870-S $3 gold
    B. U.S. Dime in silver
    C. 1849 $20 gold
    D. 1873-S Seated Dollar
    E. 1873-CC No Arrows Dime
    F. Brasher Doubloon

Answers to the Coin Quiz can be found on page 25.

A FEW WORDS ABOUT RARITIES:

In this issue of our mailer, we offer for sale two of American coinage's greatest and most famous rarities, the 1885 No Motto dollar and the 1885 Trade Dollar. In addition to being outstanding coins (from the standpoint of condition, rarity and desirability), they are also priced to be outstanding values.

Not only is there great pride of ownership that comes from owning a classic rarity (as well as fame if one wishes!), but there is also a tremendous monetary advantage --- there is really no better long term investment than a carefully selected, fairly priced numismatic rarity.

We have never heard of a buyer of a major rarity who has held his investment for 5 years or longer that did not realize a substantial profit from his investment. In every case we know of, the profit has been greater than it would likely have been in the stock market, mutual funds, real estate or virtually any other conventional form of investment. Often the profit has amounted to ten times savings book interest, or more!

We can remember well the August 1967 ANA convention in Miami when Aubrey Beebe paid $46,000 for his 1913 Liberty nickel. This was considered a "high" price at that time, but since then, our friends at Bowers & Ruddy Galleries paid over $100,000 for HALF INTEREST in another of the 5 known specimens. That same coin is now valued at $300,000! Certainly there have been few investments that could have realized a 500% return in less than 7 years. More importantly, this is not an isolated case. Virtually every major U.S. rarity has experienced approximately the same rate of appreciation over that time period.

Naturally, it is our sincere hope to be able to someday repurchase coins from the collectors, investors or dealers that buy them from us. One of our best sources of rare coins is our fine customers themselves. The two rarities listed in this issue are no exception. When they are sold again (we hope it will be to us!) we have no doubt that the owner will realize a handsome, perhaps even a staggering profit!

If you are in the fortunate position of having money to invest, we hope you will consider numismatic rarities (or even scarcities!) so we can make a believer out of you!

COLONIAL COINAGE

For your reference, the Guide Book page numbers are noted in parentheses.

Carolina Elephant Token, (1694) Thick planchet. Brown Unc.... 695.00

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Castorland Token, 1796, original Choice toned Proof. Recent auction record of $4200 for an AU. An excellent buy at..... 6750.00

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Connecticut 1785, Bust right, VG. Miller 6.4-I, R-3 (p.27)... 29.00

Connecticut 1787, Draped Bust left, VF-EF (p.29).... 79.00

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Continental Dollar, 1776, Currency Pewter, E.G. Fecit, Borderline Unc. Scarce variety. This piece actually shows cartwheel lustre. It is fully struck except for the weakness at 5 o'clock which is characteristic of the variety. Fully equal to the recent Stack's sale piece which realized $11,000 to a dealer. An outstanding value at our conservative price. 7500.00

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Continental Dollar, 1776, Currency Pewter, E.G. Fecit, Gem BU. Absolutely superb virtually MS-70 with full blazing lustre and no spots, surface marks or weak areas. 100% fully struck and never cleaned or treated in any way. By far the finest Continental Dollar we have ever seen, and probably the finest known. A priceless coin! (p.35) 19,500.00

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Fugio 1787, STATES UNITED at sides. Borderline Unc. (p.57).. 350.00

Fugio cent, 1787, States United, Large letters in WE ARE ONE. VF-EF. Extremely rare variety. (p.57) Newman-19.2..... 375.00

Massachusetts ½ cent, 1787, #6-C, Choice AU, some die rust. (p.31)...325.00

Massachusetts ½ cent, 1788, EF-AU (p.32).... 225.00

Massachusetts cent, 1788, period after Mass. Brown Borderline Unc. A superb strike. Comparable to most mail order Brown Unc's. (p.32).... 550.00

Mott Token, 1789, thick planchet Brown Unc., obv. weakly struck in center. Lustrous and attractive. Scarce in this condition.... 695.00

New Jersey, 1787, small planchet, plain shield. VG, dark and slightly bent... 14.00

North Wales ½ cent, F-VF, once cleaned. (p.55).... 125.00

COLONIAL COINAGE

St. Patricks farthing, F-VF corrosion. (p.18).... 59.00

Talbot, Allum & Lee cent, 1795, Gem Br. Proof. Full blazing brilliant original red. Probably the fines: known! Amazing. (p.44)... 1950.00

Vermont Cent, Filler... 9.00

Vermont, 1788, INDE ET LIB, VF+ obv. F-VF rev. Exceptionally pleasing overall. (p.23)... 225.00

Vermont 1788, INDE*ET LIB*, obv. F-VF, rev. VG. Ryder 27, R-2... 110.00

Virginia ½ cent, 1773, No period after Geogius, VF (p.47)... 95.00

Washington 1791, Small Eagle cent. AU Sharp. (p.53).... 395.00

Washington 1795, Grate ½ cent, Lg. Buttons, Reeded edge. Brown Unc. Traces of red. (p.54)... 295.00

Washington Success Medal Small brass reeded edge. EF-AU. (p.55)...395.00

HALF CENTS

1794 VF-EF. Beautiful even surfaces and color. A perfect type coin. 495.00

1804 Plain 4, stemless, EF-AU... 85.00

1806 Small 6, stemless, AU.... 125.00

1828, AU... 59.00

Brown Unc... 110.00

1832 Brown Unc... 110.00

1835 Brown Borderline Unc... 75.00

1846 2nd restrike, Gem Proof. Fully brilliant surfaces with exquisite reddish-purple toning... 1650.00

1849 Brown Borderline Unc... 95.00

1850 Gem Brown Unc. Traces of red. 175.00

1857 Choice Brown Unc. Tinges of red. Scarce date... 195.00

LARGE CENTS

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1793 Wreath, Vine & Bars edge. Glossy Brown Borderline Unc. The usual commercial Choice Brown Unc. quality. 7500.00

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1803 Small Date, Large Fraction, Gem Red & Brown Unc. (S-260) Full blazing mint lustre and beautiful original color. A fantastic coin Almost as nice as the Essex coin which realized $7000.... 4750.00

1817 Red & Brown Unc... 225.00

1818 Choice Brown Unc. Traces of mint red.... 185.00

LARGE CENTS

1831 Small 8, double profile, Brown Borderline Unc... 89.00

1834 Small 8, Large stars, medium letters N-2, Brown Unc... 175.00

1835 Small 8 and stars, EF, some spotting... 17.00

1838 Choice Brown Unc... 175.00

1844 Brown Borderine Unc... 75.00

1846 Small Date, Brown Unc... 110.00
Choice Red & Brown Unc... 225.00

1853 Choice Red & Brown Unc... 175.00

1854 EF-AU, cleaned and toned. Looks BU at first glance... 22.00
Brown Unc, minor edge defect. 59.00

1856 Brown Unc. Traces of red... 115.00

1857 Large Date, EF... 59.00

FLYING EAGLE CENTS

1857 Choice BU... 450.00

1858 Small Letters, Borderline Unc. 175.00
Choice BU. Strictly original and fully struck except for the right side which is still above average. 450.00

1858, 8 over 7, Gem BU. A superb coin with hints of P-L surface. The sharpest overdate we've ever seen. Possibly the finest known. Really amazing!... 1795.00

INDIAN CENTS

1860 Br. Proof... 325.00

1863 Borderline Unc.... 33.00
BU... 75.00

1864 Choice BU... 79.00

1864-Br. Red & Brown Unc... 39.00

1864-CN, Choice AU... 29.00

1865/4 Red & Brown Unc. Scarce overdate.... 295.00

1865 Brown Unc... 29.00
BU... 45.00

1868 Choice BU... 150.00

1870 Choice toned Proof... 295.00

1874 Brown Unc. Traces of red.. 55.00

1879 Choice BU... 55.00

1880 Gem BU... 45.00

1882 Gem BU... 47.00

1883 Br. Proof, choice... 89.00

1889 BU, dipped... 16.00
Gem BU 45.00

1891 Choice BU... 32.00

1893 BU... 27.00

"Your service was outstanding and I am sure we will do much business in the future. Thank you very much."
W.W., Kentucky

INDIAN CENTS

1893 Choice BU... 32.00

1894 Gem BU... 60.00

1895 BU... 27.00

1896 Choice BU... 32.00

1898 Choice BU... 33.00

1899 Choice BU... 33.00

1900 Choice BU... 30.00

1901 Red & Brown Unc... 16.00
BU... 25.00
Choice BU... 30.00

1902 BU... 25.00
Choice BU... 30.00
Gem BU... 40.00

1903 BU, dipped... 14.00
Choice BU... 30.00

1904 Red & Brown Unc... 13.00

1905 BU... 25.00
Choice BU... 30.00
Gem BU... 40.00

1906 BU... 25.00
Choice BU... 30.00

1907 Choice BU... 30.00

1908 Choice BU... 30.00

1908-S VG-Fine... 19.00

1909 Red & Brown Unc... 16.00

LINCOLN CENTS

1909-VDB Red & Brown Unc... 7.00
Choice BU... 14.00

1909-S-VDB, Choice BU... 295.00

1909 Red & Brown Unc... 5.00

1910-S Choice BU... 55.00

1911-S Choice BU... 72.00

1914 Red & Brown Unc... 18.00

1915 BU... 55.00
Choice BU... 60.00

1915-S Choice BU... 65.00

1916 Red & Brown Unc... 7.00

1918-D Choice BU... 55.00

1920-S Choice BU... 36.00

1921-S Gem BU, full strike. Rare in this condition... 250.00

1924-D Choice BU... 325.00

1925-D Choice BU... 36.00

1927-S BU... 34.00

1931-D BU, a few obverse carbon spots. 29.00
BU... 39.00

1931-S Choice BU... 49.00

1933-D Choice BU... 14.00

1972/72 Choice BU... 79.00

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1864 Large Motto, Brown Unc, traces of red... 75.00
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Choice Red & Brown Unc... 125.00
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1865 Brown Borderline Unc... 45.00
Brown Unc... 75.00
Choice Brown Unc. Traces of red... 95.00
BU.... 175.00

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BU... 70.00
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1867 BU... 70.00
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1887/6 Choice Brilliant Proof.. 295.00

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1882 EF-AU... 25.00
BU, some spots... 45.00
1883 EF-AU... 25.00
AU... 35.00

LIBERTY NICKELS

1883 without cents, Borderline Unc. 20.00
BU... 32.00
Choice BU... 39.00
1883 with cents, AU... 24.00
Choice BU... 75.00
1884 Choice Brilliant Proof... 125.00
1890 Choice BU... 75.00
1892 Gem BU... 80.00
1895 Choice AU... 22.00

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1901 Gem BU... 75.00
1902 Choice BU... 65.00
1903 BU... 55.00
1904 Choice BU... 65.00
1905 Choice BU.... 65.00
Gem BU... 75.00
1906 Choice AU... 50.00
Choice BU 65.00
1907 Choice Brilliant Proof. The lowest mintage proof liberty nickel. 125.00
1910 BU... 50.00
1911 BU... 50.00
Choice BU... 65.00
1912 AU, whizzed. Looks BU... 14.00
BU... 50.00
Gem BU... 75.00
1912-D Gem Unc. Lightly toned. An exceptional coin... 325.00

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1913 Type One, AU... 12.00
Choice AU... 13.00
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BU... 25.00
Choice BU... 29.00
Gem BU... 35.00
1913-D Type One, EF-AU... 13.00
1913-S Type One, Gem BU... 58.00
1913 Type Two, EF-AU... 8.00
Borderline Unc... 14.00
BU... 24.00
1915 Choice Matte Proof, Beautifully toned... 350.00
1916 Choice BU... 23.00
1916-S Borderline Unc... 39.00
Choice BU, full strike... 110.00
1925-D Choice BU... 250.00
1926 Choice BU... 23.00
1926-D Choice BU. Nearly a full strike. Rare in this condition... 395.00
1927 Choice BU... 23.00

1927-S Gem BU Superb! Excessively rare in this condition... 395.00
1928-D Choice BU Sharp strike.. 26.00
1929-D Choice BU Sharp strike.. 37.00
1930 Choice BU... 17.00
1937 Gem Brilliant Proof... 395.00

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1955-D/S, BU... 29.00

SILVER THREE-CENT PIECES

1851 Choice BU... 160.00
1852 Borderline Unc... 80.00
Choice BU, a frosty little jewel... 195.00
Gem BU... 225.00
1859 Gem BU... 225.00
1861 Borderline Unc... 85.00
1862/1 VF... 45.00
1862 Gem BU... 225.00
1866 Gem Proof, lilac toning. No hairlines. Only 725 minted... .... 425.00

EARLY HALF DIMES

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1795 Flowing Hair, Gem BU. Fantastic rainbow toning. Sharply struck, flawless and full blazing mint frost. Simply a superb coin in every respect. If you are looking for the finest available, this is it!.... 9570.00

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SEATED HALF DIMES

1837 No Stars, Gem toned Unc... 995.00
1838 No Drapery, Small stars, Unc., nicely toned. Many times scarcer than the large stars variety. 750.00
1840 No Drapery, Choice AU... 75.00
1841 AU, scratches... 15.00
1848 Medium Date, Choice BU... 295.00
1853 Arrows, EF-AU... 29.00
AU... 35.00
1854 Arrows, AU, Unc... 39.00
AU... 55.00
1857 VF-EF... 12.00
AU... 55.00
1858 AU... 55.00
1861 AU... 40.00
1869 AU, sharp P-L... 55.00
1873 Closed 3, EF-AU... 23.00

EARLY DIMES

1796 Borderline Unc. A remarkably attractive example and equal to or better than a couple of specimens we've seen graded Gem Unc. and priced $7500 and $9000 respectively. Our true borderline Unc. 3250.00
1805 Filler (mutilated) This coin is wretched! But you could hardly expect any better at... 24.00

EARLY DIMES

1805 S berries, Choice Unc. Attractive bluish tone. Above average strike and full mint lustre. An excellent type coin.... 3750.00

BUST DIMES

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1822 Gem BU One of the most underrated of all U.S. silver coins. Most of the reported 100,000 mintage were actually dated 1821. This coin is 100% fully struck with full mint lustre and no marks of any kind. We have seen a couple of sliders offered as BU, but this is the first truly mint state example. A once-in-a-lifetime opportunity. 5500.00

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1828 Small date, F-VF... 75.00
1832 EF... 50.00
1833 EF... 55.00

SEATED DIMES

1842 EF-AU... 35.00
Unc., lightly toned... 275.00

1844 VF... 125.00
1845 Choice AU... 95.00
1852 AU... 60.00
1853 Arrows, AU... 75.00
1856 Large Date, Choice toned Unc. Rare and underrated variety, especially in Unc... 495.00
1856 Small Date, EF... 22.00
AU... 60.00
1856-O EF-AU... 35.00
1857 Borderline Unc... 125.00
1857-O, Choice toned Unc. Full strike Scarce.... 350.00
1860 Choice BU... 160.00
Choice toned Proof... 295.00
1861 Borderline Unc... 85.00
1865 Gem Toned Unc., definitely not a Proof! Excessively rare in this condition... 895.00
1875 VF-EF... 13.00
Borderline Unc... 75.00
1875-S Below Bow, AU... 39.00
1876 Borderline Unc... 85.00
1883 Gem Toned Unc., Semi P-L, superb!... 240.00
1886 EF-AU... 22.00
1887-S AU, cleaned. Looks BU. Scarce issue... 59.00
1888 AU... 35.00
1889 EF-AU... 22.00
AU, semi P-L... 35.00
1890 EF-AU... 22.00
1891 EF... 17.00
EF-AU... 22.00

BARBER DIMES

1892, Choice toned Unc... 85.00
1893,2 Choice Proof. A major rarity. Only a few specimens known... ... 3000.00
1893-O Choice BU... 150.00
1897 Borderline Unc... 37.00
1907-D Choice BU... 85.00
1909-O Choice BU, scarce date... 150.00
1913 AU... 17.00
1915 Borderline Unc... 37.00

MERCURY DIMES

1916-S Choice BU... 35.00
1917 Gem BU... 33.00
1917-S Choice BU... 49.00
Gem BU... 59.00
1918 EF-AU... 19.00
Choice BU, full split bands. 65.00
Gem BU Superb in all respects. Scarce so nice... 125.00
1918-D Choice BU, full split bands. Almost unknown in this condition... 150.00
1919-D Choice BU... 215.00
Gem BU, full split bands, beautifully toned superb... 295.00
1920 Choice BU, full bands... 29.00
1923, Gem BU... 33.00
1924-D Choice AU... 59.00
1927-D Choice BU, full split bands. 325.00
1928-D Choice BU, full split bands. 175.00
Gem BU, full split bands. Undergrated date.... 240.00
1930 Choice BU... 42.00
1931 Gem BU... 75.00
1938 BU... 5.00
1942, 2 over 1, VF.... 175.00
1945 Micro S, Choice BU... 14.00

TWENTY CENT PIECES

1875-S Borderline Unc... 395.00

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BUST QUARTERS

1821 Superb Gem BU. Simply impressive in every respect. Absolutely the finest bust quarter we've ever handled!.... 3450.00
1834 BU... 95.00

SEATED QUARTERS

1853 Arrows & Rays Choice AU. Frosty ... 195.00
1854 Arrows AU... 150.00
Choice AU... 145.00
Frosty Toned Unc... 350.00
Gem BU, fully struck with blazing mint lustre. One of the most underrated of all type coins... .... 1250.00
1854-O Arrows, AU, semi P-L... 125.00
1855 Arrows, toned Unc... 550.00
1857 Choice BU, fully struck with satin surfaces... 495.00
Superb Gem Unc. Incredible tonin, surfaces and strike. Unimprovable. 595.00
1859 Gem BU, fully struck and superb. Scarce date this nice... 795.00
1860 AU... 75.00
1860-O AU, sharp. Scarce date... 125.00
1860-S VG/AG Underrated date... 79.00
1861 BU, Prooflike... 295.00
Gem BU... 475.00
1862 Choice BU. This date is seldom seen in mint state... 395.00
1864 Gem BU. Rare!.... 1100.00
1875 Choice BU.... 325.00
1876 Borderline Unc... 150.00
BU... 275.00
1876-S Choice BU, semi P-L and superbly struck... 350.00
1877-S Choice BU... 295.00
1878 BU.... 275.00
1881 Brilliant Proof Choice... 450.00

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T.J., Pennsylvania

BARBER QUARTERS

1896 Choice AU... 37.00
1899 Choice AU... 75.00
1904-O BU would be choice except for a tone like thumbprints... 295.00
1914-D Choice BU. Scarce issue... ... 300.00
1905-O Choice toned Unc. Prooflike strikes. A great specimen in this condition... 1600.00
1915 Choice AU. Obverse struck from polished dies... 75.00
Gem BU... 295.00
1916 Choice AU... 75.00
1916-D BU... 175.00

STANDING LIBERTY QUARTERS

1917 Type One, AU... 85.00
Borderline Unc. BU... 125.00
Gem BU.... 275.00
1918-D Type One Borderline Unc... 135.00
1917 Type Two, Choice BU. Full FH... 145.00
1917-D Type Two, Choice BU... 130.00
1918-S Borderline Unc... 85.00
1920 Borderline Unc... 50.00
1923-S Gem BU, full head. Rare in this superb condition... 795.00
1924-D Choice BU... 145.00
Gem BU... 120.00
1925 Borderline Unc... 55.00

WASHINGTON QUARTERS

1934 Choice BU... 15.00
1935-S Gem BU. 37.00
1940-D Gem BU. 37.00

EARLY HALF DOLLARS

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1795 Attractively toned Unc. Semi P-L surfaces with beautiful peripheral toning. Some microscopic bag-markings keep this out of the Choice BU class. No major adjustment marks, although there are some extremely minor ones on the obverse. A superb strike. Over-all a most attractive specimen, and by far the best we've handled. 4950.00

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1806 Pointed 6, stem through claw. Toned Borderline Unc. Double cut TY. An unusually sharp strike. To show you how tough we grade these: This coin is from Stack's 1971 A.N.A. Auction sale where it was graded Choice Brilliant Unc. (and not really unjustifiably either!). Our price is equally conservative... 1950.00

EARLY HALF DOLLARS

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1807 Heraldic Eagle. Gem BU MS-70. Here at New England Rare Coin Galleries, we've handled many finest Knowns of old-fashioned plates and varieties. We have even gone as far as to describe coins as the finest of a type that we've ever handled. However, here is a first! We feel that we can say without hesitation that here is probably the finest example (of any date) of a major United States type coin. Certainly we have never seen one that even came close. This coin is 100% fully struck down to the center of each star. There is not a bagmark to be found anywhere on the coin. The lustre is not broken anywhere and there isn't a trace of rub. It is simply a fantastic coin in every respect and this is not a coin with one would expect ever to see in this condition. We ourselves, paid a five-figure price for the coin, so the price to you is expensive. However, we doubt if a comparable coin will ever be available for sale..... 15,000.00

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BUST HALF DOLLARS

1807 50/20 Choice EF-AU. Sharp and lustrous... 225.00
1808 Superb Gem Unc. O-107, R-4. The obverse is beautifully toned, while the reverse is fully brilliant. There is an extremely popular date since 1807-08 is a distinct 2-year type. Very rare in real top condition such as this and in our opinion, destined to become much more valuable in the near future. 1295.00
1814/3 EF-AU. Lustrous... 139.00
1821 Fine.... 22.00
1827 O-139, R-4, VF-EF... 45.00
1830 AU, cleaned. O-101, R-1... 55.00
1831 Fine... 20.00
1832 Choice AU, full frosty mint lustre... 110.00
1833 EF-AU... 45.00
Borderline Unc.O-107, R-3..225.00
1834 LD, SL, VF-EF... 29.00
1834 SD, SS, SL Borderline Unc..225.00
Frosty BU, a bit softly struck in some areas but otherwise choice. 325.00
1835 VF-EF... 29.00
1836 Choice AU... 125.00
1838 VF-EF... 65.00
1839 VF-EF... 65.00
AU, sharp... 225.00

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SEATED HALF DOLLARS

1839 With Drapery, Gem BU. Extremely rare in this condition... 1395.00
1843 Choice BU, a superb striking. Scarce early issue... 550.00
1846 Medium Date, BU... 395.00

1846 Tall Date, Choice AU. Tough variety... 145.00
1848 Choice BU, semi P-L. Scarce and underrated date... 750.00
1850 Gem BU, semi P-L. A superb coin. Very difficult in this condition. ... 1295.00
1853 Arrows & Rays, AU, original toned sharp and defect free. Never dipped or cleaned... 350.00
1854-O Arrows. Toned Borderline Unc.... 295.00
1855-O Arrows, AU, whizzed. Looks BU... 79.00
Choice AU... 160.00
Borderline Unc... 295.00
1857 Sharp AU, cleaned... 59.00
1858 VF-EF... 29.00
1858-O Choice AU... 110.00
1861-O Borderline Unc... 195.00
1861-S AU... 95.00
1862-S EF... 45.00
EF-AU... 49.00
Borderline Unc... 225.00
1863-S AU... 95.00
Choice AU... 110.00
1866 With Motto, Choice BU. Scarce issue... 495.00
1866-S With Motto, EF... 42.00
Choice AU... 100.00
1867-S EF... 42.00
AU... 89.00
1871-S AU... 89.00
1871-CC G-VG... 49.00
1874 Arrows, Gem BU. Superb under-valued type coin... 1450.00
1875 AU... 89.00
1875-S EF... 42.00
1876 AU... 89.00
1877 Choice AU... 100.00
1879 Gem Proof. Beautiful iridescent toning... 595.00
1881 Gem Brilliant Proof... 565.00
1884 BU or Proof? This coin has mostly proof characteristics, but there is some frost underneath the proof surface. We feel it is a proof, but some might disagree. Call it what you will, it is quite attractive. Only 5,275 minted... 525.00
1885 Brilliant Proof, Choice... 550.00

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BARBER HALF DOLLARS

1895 Borderline Unc. Special Price! 195.00
1902 Borderline Unc.... 250.00
1903 Superb Gem Proof. A fantastic coin!... 695.00
1909 Choice BU.... 425.00
1914 Gem Brilliant Proof. Scarce date.... 950.00

WALKING LIBERTY HALF DOLLARS

1916-D Gem BU... 295.00
1917 Borderline Unc... 35.00
Choice BU, full strike... 85.00
Gem BU... 95.00
1917-S Reverse, Choice BU... 295.00
1918 EF-AU... 45.00
1918-D Choice BU, full strike 395.00
1927-S Gem BU, Almost fully struck. Rare this... 795.00
1938-D Gem BU, superb with beautiful light toning... 395.00
1939 Choice BU... 31.00
1940 Gem Proof... 140.00
1941-S Gem BU, flawless satin surfaces and nearly a full strike... 125.00
Gem BU, full strike. Scarce in this condition... 145.00
1942-S Choice BU, well struck and virtually a gem... 69.00
1943-S Gem BU... 29.00
1945-D BU 16.00

BUST DOLLARS

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1795 Flowing Hair, 3 leaves. Superb Gem Unc. An incredible coin with attractive toning and full blazing lustre. Fully struck with no surface marks or defects of any kind. Virtually no adjustment marks and never dipped or treated in any way. A sparkling jewel...this coin is a bargain at any price! 27,500.00
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1798 Wide date, 13 Arrows, About EF. 550.00
Choice EF, a sharp defect-free coin, that has never been dipped or cleaned... 650.00
1799 VG+.... 295.00

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1799/8 Choice Unc. Beautifully toned. Fully lustrous and a decent striking. An absolutely beautiful appearing coin. 7500.00
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BUST DOLLARS

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1800 Only 12 Arrows. Superb Gem Unc. Close to MS-70. Beautifully toned, and almost flawless. Virtually in the same condition as it was when it left the dies, except for the superb natural toning. A real blazing jewel for the man who demands the finest there is! 16,500.00
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1800 superb, Borderline Unc. Fantastic toning, an excellent strike with blazing lustre. (The reverse is mint state). A beautiful coin in all respects, and probably worth more than our price of... 2950.00

SEATED DOLLARS

1846 EF... 175.00
1865 Attractively toned Proof. Choice, as softer of more minor hairlines. Only 500 minted... 1395.00

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1866 No Motto. Attractively toned Proof! For full description please see page 22.
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OUR SILVER DOLLAR GRADING

CHOICE AU (AU-50+ to AU-55) with nearly full mint lustre.

BORDERLINE AU (AU-55 or better) will have full frosty mint lustre, full hair and breast feathers, and only a touch of rubbing. Many of these have never seen any actual circulation.

BU (MS-60) are strictly so, and will be at least average striking with normal bagmarks. Horrible strikes or excessive bagmarks will be noted separately.

CHOICE BU (MS-60+ to MS-65) are fully struck BU coins with far fewer bagmarks than usual. Most dealers call these Gem BU. Some call them MS-70 or whatever.

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Occasionally we will describe a coin as MS-70. We do not use this term loosely. MS-70 coins are as close to perfect as could exist, and MS-70 examples are rare, even of the commonest dates. (Though we often see dealers offer dollars as MS-70 that really aren't.)

MORGAN DOLLARS

1878 7 tail feathers, Gem BU 15.00
1878 7/8 tail feathers, Vam 41. Choice BU... 90.00
1878 8 tail feathers, Choice BU... 27.00
Gem BU... 34.00
Proof, a few light hairlines. Fully brilliant and quite attractive.... 450.00
1878-CC Gem BU... 39.00
1879 Choice BU... 13.00
Gem BU, semi P-L 35.00
1879-O Gem BU, P-L. The finest of this date we have ever seen!... 195.00
1880 Gem BU... 18.00
1880 8/7 Choice BU. Possibly the finest known of this rare overdate... 650.00
1880 '78-CC 2nd reverse, Gem BU. Very rare in this condition... 400.00
1880-CC 8/7 Reverse '78, Gem BU... 95.00
1880-O 8/7 Borderline Unc... 125.00
BU, full strike... 195.00
1880-S 80/79, Choice BU... 35.00
1880/78-S Choice BU... 32.00
Gem BU... 39.00
1881 Choice BU... 13.00
Gem BU... 18.00
1881-S Gem BU, semi P-L... 16.00
Gem BU, P-L... 25.00
1881-CC Gem BU... 84.00
1882 Choice BU, P-L reverse... 14.00
Gem BU... 18.00
1882-S Gem BU... 12.00
1882-CC Gem BU, P-L... 45.00
1883 Gem BU... 15.00
1883-CC Gem BU 32.00
1883-O, Choice BU, P-L... 20.00
1884 Gem BU... 15.00
1884-CC, Gem BU... 32.00
1885 Choice BU, semi P-L... 17.00
Gem BU... 14.00
1886 Choice BU, P-L... 19.00
Gem BU... 14.00
1887 Gem BU... 13.00
Gem BU, semi P-L... 22.00
Gem BU, P-L... 25.00
1887-O Choice BU... 14.00
1887-O 7/6 EF flat strike. Catalog value $450... 95.00
1887-S BU... 31.00
1888-O Gem BU... 20.00
Gem BU, semi P-L... 25.00
1889-CC Choice BU, fully struck...2750.00
1889-O EF-AU... 9.00
Borderline Unc... 13.00
1890-O Choice BU... 24.00
1890-S Choice AU... 13.00
BU... 19.00
Choice BU... 24.00
Gem BU... 28.00
1891 Choice BU... 27.00

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MORGAN DOLLARS

1891-O AU, fully P-L... 25.00
Uncirculated prooflike. Well struck with full breast feathers but not quite in full brilliance. In our opinion this is the rarest Morgan Dollar in prooflike. We would pay $500 for a gem prooflike of this date. This coin is reasonable at..... 125.00
1891-S Choice BU... 29.00
Gem BU... 33.00

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1892-S Superb Gem BU, MS-70. Absolutely the finest we've ever seen... 18,500.00

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1893-S Unc. deeply toned. A full MS-60 coin, and not a slider. Well struck with full breast feathers and hair detail no serious bagmarks, and full frosty mint lustre beneath the attractive blue and gold toning. No rubbing of any kind. Don't let the low price fool you! Comparable to specimens being offered at 50% more than our price. We bought this coin right, and have priced it to sell. Order this coin, and you will keep it!... 19,500.00

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1895-S BU, semi P-L. Fully struck but with some minor friction in fields. Priced to sell..... 1250.00
1896-O EF-AU..... 16.00
AU, usual soft strike, but full mint frost... 39.00
Choice BU. Attractively toned. usual soft strike... 150.00
1897-S Choice BU... 36.00
1898-S VF-EF... 10.00
1900-O/CC Choice BU... 45.00
Gem BU... 59.00
1903 BU, P-L.... 25.00
Gem BU... 24.00
1904 BU, reverse digs... 15.00
1921 Gem BU.... 18.00
1921-D Choice BU, Beautiful toning... 18.00
Gem BU.... 28.00
1921-S Choice BU.... 16.00
Gem BU... 42.00

"Thank you for your very fine letter and the catalog. You answered all my questions and requests concisely and clearly. It is indeed a pleasure to deal with you."
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PEACE DOLLARS

1921 EF-AU... 29.00
AU... 39.00
Borderline Unc... 55.00
Cleaned Unc. dull matte-like surface, sharp strike.... 49.00
1922 Choice BU... 7.00
1922-D Choice BU... 10.00
Gem BU... 23.00
1922-S Choice BU... 10.00
Gem BU... 20.00
1923 Choice BU... 7.00
Gem BU... 11.00
1923-D Choice BU... 16.00
Gem BU... 23.00
1923-S Choice BU... 20.00
Choice BU, sharp.. 29.00
Gem BU... 55.00
1924 Choice BU... 7.00
1924-S Gem BU, full strike. 145.00
1925 Gem BU... 17.00
1926 BU... 17.00
Choice BU. 19.00
Gem BU... 26.00
1926-D Gem BU... 38.00
1926-S Choice BU... 24.00
Gem BU... 39.00
1934 VF... 11.00
EF-AU... 18.00
AU... 28.00
Borderline Unc... 30.00
BU... 45.00
1934-D AU... 22.00
Choice AU... 27.00
Borderline Unc.. 30.00
BU... 39.00
1934-S VF+.... 18.00
Choice BU, obverse fully P-L (Believe it or not)... 1100.00
1935 VF-EF... 11.00
EF-AU... 14.00
AU... 17.00
Choice AU... 19.00
Borderline Unc ... 22.00

TRADE DOLLARS

1874 Borderline Unc. Well struck, semi P-L.... 250.00
1874-S AU... 100.00
AU, P-L.... 125.00
1875-S EF-AU.... 80.00
AU.... 110.00
1876-S Choice AU.... 125.00
1877-S AU... 110.00
Choice AU... 125.00
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Borderline Unc., P-L... 195.00

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1885 Choice Proof. For complete description, please see page 23 and 24.

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$1 GOLD TYPE 1

1849 Closed Wreath, BU... 325.00
1849-D AU... 535.00
1851 EF-AU... 132.00
1851-C AU... 450.00
1852 AU... 140.00
BU... 275.00
1853 AU... 140.00
BU... 275.00
Choice BU... 450.00
Gem BU... 550.00
1854 Borderline Unc... 195.00
BU... 275.00

$1 GOLD TYPE 2

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1855 VF... 275.00
1855-C EF, trends $1,500, ours only.... 950.00
1856-S F-VF, light obverse scratches 195.00

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1856, Upright 5, EF-AU... 132.00
AU... 150.00
Borderline Unc... 225.00
Choice BU. Only 33,660 minted. Underrated variety, rare in this grade... 550.00
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AU... 140.00
Borderline Unc... 150.00
BU... 275.00

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AU.... 140.00
Choice AU... 160.00
Borderline Unc... 195.00
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AU.. 140.00
Borderline Unc.. 195.00
1864 Borderline Unc. Very scarce date. Underrated.... 685.00
1873 Borderline Unc.... 195.00
1874 Borderline Unc... 195.00
BU.... 275.00
Choice BU, virtually Gem quality. Full, sharp LIBERTY, which is unusual for this date.... 495.00

EARLY $2½ GOLD

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1831 Gem BU, semi P-L. Superb! Possibly a specimen striking.... 9750.00

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1836 EF-AU.... 295.00
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THE 1866 "NO MOTTO" DOLLAR - ATTRACTIVELY TONED PROOF

This very coin was called by Stack's "perhaps the rarest U.S. silver coin.

This very coin was owned by a virtual "Who's Who" in American Numismatic history (F.C.C. Boyd, Colonel E.H.R. Green, King Farouk, Samuel Wolfson, Charles Jay and others)

This coin is "semi-unique", in that there are two specimens known, but one was stolen nearly a decade ago and the whereabouts of it are unknown. The fabulous Louis Eliasberg Collection, considered the only "complete" U.S. coin collection, is MISSING an 1866 No Motto Dollar.

There are 15 1804 dollars known today; there is only one 1866 No Motto dollar known today.

There are 5 1913 Liberty nickels known today, there is only one 1866 No Motto dollar known today.

There are a handful of U.S. coins which have realized over $100.000. Some have realized over $200,000. There are two which are currently being offered at $300.000. None of them approach the rartiy of the 1866 No Motto dollar.

We, at New England Rare Coin Galleries, feel this is the most underpriced United States coin currently on the market. Below are some of the reasons why.

When this coin was last offered at public auction in the Winner Delp Sale, it was described as follows by Stack's, the cataloguer of the sale:

"1866 No MOTTO, BRILLIANT PROOF. This is the famous Key specimen which was formerly the Wolfson example, first offered for sale at public auction in the United States at our Fairbanks Sale in 1960. ... When we described this coin in our Wolfson sale, we noted that 'the only time this coin had been offered at a Public Auction, prior to the Fairbanks Sale in 1960, was in Cairo, Egypt when King Farouk's Collection was sold.'

This is the fourth time we have handled this same coin and its pedigree is well known. It is initially traced to the Woodin Collection, then to the F.C.C. Boyd Collection (who relinquished it to Wayte Raymond. It next passed to Col. E.H.R. Green and upon his death back to F.C.C. Boyd. King Farouk (via an American agent) became the next owner. The coin next passed to the Fairbanks Collection where Mr. Samuel Wolfson acquired it and when the Wolfson Collection was sold, Mr. Charles Jay became the proud possessor. Mr. Delp purchased the coin at our Jay Sale.

This coin is perhaps the rarest U.S. silver coin. It is surely on par with the 1804 Dollar in auction time and the 1804 Silver Dollar. THE PRICE REALIZED BY THE 1866 'A' MOTTO DOLLAR MUST BE COMPARED WITH THE 1804 SILVER DOLLAR, AS FOR ALMOST A DECADE THEY WERE TWINNING MATES. There is a good cause to believe that the progression of value will continue for this great rarity.

It is with understandable pride and pleasure that we again offer this coin at Public Auction to the entire collecting fraternity."

The coin was purchased in that sale by one of America's leading dealers for $32,000. Some of the other rarities in that sale included a 1795 Flowing Hair Dollar, Choice BU, fully P-L for $3,500 (present value $25,000+), an 1884 Trade Dollar, cleaned Proof for $17,000 (present value of about $50,000), an 1808 $2½ Gold piece EF for $5,000 (present value

about $15,000), a Proof 1848 CAL. $2½ for $7,750 (currently advertised at $65,000), a Gem 1880 United Hair cents for $35.000 (present value $125,000 to $150,000), an 1856-O $20 Gold for $8,500 (present value $40,000+) and many others of approximately the same appreciation. These examples were selectively picked, but offer a realistic representation of the market at that time.

Refer to page 150 of the [illegible] where this coin is referred to as a transitional pattern. Actually this is incorrect, for it is of the same design as the preceeding issues rather than that of the succeeding issues. (To illustrate: An 1865 With Motto Dollar would be an example of a pattern issue. The 1866 No Motto Dollar falls into the same category as a 1913 Liberty Nickel or an 1804 Silver Dollar.)

Stack's compared the present coin's value to that of an 1804 Silver Dollar (currently valued in the $200,000 range). We feel we have priced the coin conservatively in order to sell it quickly. Here is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to acquire one of America's greatest rarities.

$125,000.00

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* * * THE FABULOUS 1885 TRADE DOLLAR * * *

This splendid specimen was last sold publicly in the Baldenhoffer Sale (Stack's) in 1956. It is a glittering Choice Proof example with beautiful natural toning. One of only [illegible] specimens struck.

In the Baldenhoffer sale, our coin was described as follows:

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The 1885 Trade Dollar is one of America's greatest rarities that is currently for sale. We note the recent sales of an 1804 Silver Dollar (15 specimens known) and a 1907 MCMVII Extremely High Relief (12-14 specimens known) both for amounts reportedly in excess of $200,000. The 1885 Trade Dollar is more than twice as rare as either of these.

The possible clandestine nature of such coins as the 1884 and 1885 Trade Dollars, 1838-O Half Dollar, 1913 Liberty nickel, 1894-S dime, 1804 silver dollar, and other likewise famous rarities has in many ways, contributed to their fame, romance and value. It has always been the dream of every collector to own at least one of these rarities, and yet there has always been some small fear that someday in the future these may be determined to be illegal issues and be confiscated by the government. While we can't see any reason why this would ever happen, what purpose it would serve, or any real evidence that any of these coins could be considered illegal to own, we were happy to learn that this will never happen to the present coin...the 1884 and 1885 Trade Dollars were legally issued and authorized by Congress.

The following article has been reprinted in full from the April, 1912 issue of the NUMISMATIST:

TRADE DOLLARS OF 1884 and 1885

Judging by statements made in recent catalogues of coin sales, there seems to be a question existing as to the validity of the issues of the 1884 and 1885 Trade Dollars.

The attention of our readers is called to the Fourteenth Annual Report of the Director of the Mint, of 1886. On Page 128, Table 30, showing "A Statement of Coinage from the Organization of the Mint to June 30th, 1886," will be found, under the head of "Silver Coinage," that there were 284 Trade Dollars issued during the year of 1884. These are marked "Issued as Proof Pieces." (Apparently, 254 of these were subsequently melted.)

On page 154, table 38, a "Statement showing the Coinage, Imports and Exports of Trade Dollars by Fiscal Years," will be found, under the column designated as "Coinage, Mint at Philadelphia," that there were 884 Trade Dollars coined, dated 1884. The table is continued, including the year 1885, but no number of trade dollars are marked coined in this latter year. As we know that five of these 1885 dollars exist, and as space is shown in the table for the 1885 coinage, it seems certain that the compiler of this table knew that some 1885 Trade Dollars had been coined during that year. It was not until the session of Congress, 1886-7, that the law authorizing the coinage and issuance of United States trade dollars, was repealed. The law did not go into effect until 1887, which therefore would have made legal the issue of trade dollars bearing the dates even of 1886 and 1885.

The 1885 Trade Dollar offered here is in the finest possible condition. It is equal or superior to all other known specimens. The only other collectible specimen was abrasively cleaned and has severe hairlines. This specimen is a Choice, beautifully toned Proof - absolutely an unimprovable coin! The dealers we showed it to considered it to be the finest known.

The 1885 Trade Dollar is one of the most infrequently offered of all U.S. coins. No 1885 Trade Dollar has been offered for sale since 1965 (Ewalt). No Choice one since 1955 when this one was last sold.

Meanwhile, four extremely high relief double eagles have been sold in the past few years. 1804 Silver Dollars are offered for sale virtually every year. At least three 1913 Liberty Nickels have traded hands within the past decade. Yet, to our knowledge, only two 1885 Trade Dollars had been sold from 1942 until we purcahsed this one in August of 1974!

The 1885 Trade Dollar is one of the most famous, romantic, and well-established of all U.S. coin rarities. It is NOT a pattern issue or a recently-promoted "rarity". It is unsidputedly one of the rarest collectible regular issue silver coins.

It is almost impossible to say what this fabulous coin will bring in the future, but it is a virtual certainty that its new owner will realize a substantial profit should he ever decide to sell the coin. This has been the case with nearly all great numismatic rarities. Furthermore, there is the tremendous satisfaction (and often fame) that comes from ownership of a classic rarity.

We proudly offer this Choice, beautifully toned specimen for sale.

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$2½ LIBERTY GOLD

1840 CH-AU. First year of issue. $275.00
1840-O EF. Lightly cleaned. 195.00
1840 Proof. Choice PL, Gold Planchet Issue. A rarity in this condition... 700.00
1842 Choice AU... 185.00
Borderline Unc. 160.00
1858 Borderline Unc.. 160.00
1864 BU, small mark on reverse... 125.00
1895 Borderline Unc. 150.00
1906 Choice BU, mint color and luster. 135.00
1915 Deep Relief... 295.00
1857-S VF-EF, cleaned... 90.00
EF... 125.00
Borderline Unc. Full strike, looks BU at first glance. One of the finest known... 395.00
1858 BU, semi P-L... 285.00
1860 Borderline Unc. Scarce and underrated issue for variety hobbyists (22,000 mintage)... 395.00
1870 BU, semi P-like... 295.00
1873 Closed 3 BU... 295.00
1876-S EF-AU... 225.00
1877 Choice BU. A beautiful coin with some P-L surfaces. Very rare in this condition... 2250.00
1878-S BU... 395.00
1879 Gem BU... 285.00
1880 AU. We just sold a new BU coin $1750. Irresponsible at... 495.00
1881 Choice BU. Mint color and undergrade. Only 1,100 minted... 595.00
1889 AU... 195.00
BU... 285.00
1889 Choice BU... 285.00
1890 AU. 8,513 minted... 195.00
1891 Borderline Unc. 185.00
1894 BU, semi-prooflike... 195.00
1896 Borderline Unc.. 150.00
1897 BU... 185.00
1899 Choice AU. 140.00
BU... 180.00
1901 Choice BU 195.00
1902 VF Obverse, AU reverse. 85.00
Choice BU... 225.00
1903 Borderline Unc. 125.00
Choice BU... 165.00
1905 Borderline Unc.. 125.00
Choice BU... 185.00
Proof, impaired. 385.00
1906 BU... 165.00
Choice BU... 195.00
1907 Choice AU... 110.00
Choice BU... 195.00

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L.S., Carolinas

$2½ INDIAN GOLD

1908 Borderline Unc... 95.00
1911 BU... 135.00
Choice BU... 175.00
1914 AU. 95.00
1914-D BU... 185.00
1915 Borderline Unc... 85.00
1926-D BU... 125.00
Choice BU... 160.00
1927 BU... 125.00
1928 Choice BU... 160.00
1929 Choice BU... 160.00

$3 LIBERTY GOLD

1854 BU, first year of issue... 1450.00
1854-S VF-EF... 425.00
1859 Borderline Unc. Scarce date... 895.00
1863 AU... 695.00
1871 Choice BU, fully P-L. An outstanding specimen of this "sleeper" issue. Only 1,330 minted... 2950.00
1874 AU. 595.00
1878 Borderline Unc... 895.00
Borderline Unc, P-L obvers., Reverse is frosty and fully mint state... 950.00
BU, obverse semi P-L... 1250.00
Gem BU, a superb coin!... 2500.00

ANSWERS TO THE COIN QUIZ

1. C
2. A
3. A *1962 Plain was an error struck on Proof Dime*
4. Dime
5. S
6. A (Dime)
7. C
8. A
9. B
10. C
11. C
12. B
13. A
14. B
15. B

Quiz Answers - Beginner
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You know your coins
Genius
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Very good!

EARLY $5 GOLD

1798 Large 8, 13 stars, EF. Breen 3-F (Borderline 3-F, 10 known)... 1750.00
1802/1 EF-AU... 1250.00

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1806 round top 6, Choice BU, P-L obverse. Breen #4-E, R-7, possibly R-8, certainly the finest known!... 5750.00

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1807 Capped left. BU, first year of type... 2600.00
1812 Choice BU... 3300.00
1834 No Motto. Plain 4, Brilliant Proof. First head, large 4, Breen II-4, Ex. Breen II Sale. This coin retains about 90% of its original proof surface, and has full raised edges and incredible detail (far better than any business strike). The coin is unworn, but has a number of superficial surface marks from mishandling. A proof classic head $2½ with a serious rim nick is on the market for over $25,000. This coin should be an exceptional value for only... 2750.00
1836 BL, full strike... 1650.00

$5 LIBERTY GOLD

1840-D EF-AU. Scarce issue. Trends $800 in EF... 695.00
1840-O EF-AU... 495.00
1842-O LD EF+, one small rim nick. Rare Variety... 550.00
1842-O EF-AU, very scarce and underrated issue... 495.00
1843-C Choice AU... 785.00
1843-D EF-AU... 550.00
1843-O Small Letters, EF-AU... 525.00
1841-O EF... 275.00
AU... 350.00
1845 EF-AU... 310.00
1846-O/O Borderline Unc. Looks BU at first glance. Interesting variety... 995.00
1846-O EF, very weak mintmark... 350.00

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$5 LIBERTY GOLD

1851-O EF... 275.00
1852-C AU... 750.00
1856-C AU, sharp and very attractive... 750.00
1856-O EF, very scarce issue in all grades... 995.00
1856-S EF-AU, the commonest "S" mint no-motto... 195.00
1859-D AU, sharp. Scarce date. Only 10,366 minted. Trends $1050 in EF... 950.00
1860 EF... 250.00
1860-S VF... 175.00
1861 Borderline Unc... 195.00
Choice BU, fully struck with full lustre. An excellent type coin... 695.00
Gem BU, 100% fully struck and absolutely superb. The best $5 no-motto we've ever seen. Nearly impossible to find in this grade... 1500.00
1866-S With Motto, Vg-Fine... 175.00
1880 EF... 85.00
AU... 95.00
BU... 145.00
1881 EF... 85.00
AU... 89.00
BU... 125.00
1881-CC EF-AU lustrous surfaces. Very Scarce and underrated date... 895.00
1882 EF-VF... 89.00
1882-S BU... 1250.00
1885-S Choice BU... 750.00
1886-S Choice BU... 750.00
1890-CC BU, the toughest CC $5 in the 90's... 850.00
1891 EF-AU... 395.00
1891-CC EF-AU... 395.00
BU... 995.00
1899-O BU... 295.00
1893 Borderline Unc... 95.00
Choice BU... 150.00
1894-S BU, very scarce and underrated date... 795.00
1899 BU... 375.00
Choice BU... 450.00
1901 Choice BU... 350.00
1901-S EF-AU, Choice BU. One of the finest known... 350.00
1901-S EF-AU... 165.00
1907-D Borderline Unc... 105.00
1912 BU... 90.00

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$5 INDIAN GOLD

1908 [illegible] 450.00
1906-D Choice BU... 295.00
1909-O Choice BU... 295.00
1910 Choice BU... 295.00
1911 About BU... 80.00
1911-S EF-AU... 135.00
Borderline Unc. Looks BU at first glance... 775.00
1913 EF... 295.00
1914 Choice BU... 250.00
1915 Choice BU... 295.00
Gem BU... 595.00
1929 Gem BU. Superb! The set is the service... 4350.00

EARLY $10 GOLD

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1796 Small Eagle, AU sharp, Prooflike. An especially attractive coin, sharply struck with nearly full breast feathers on the eagle and about 50% prooflike surface remaining. Much rarer than the 1795, particularly in this condition. (Breen estimates 60-70 known in all grades). A beautiful, and rare coin, certainly destined for future appreciation. Conservatively priced at... 9250.00

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$10 LIBERTY GOLD

1843-O Choice BU, MS-65. The finest known in exactly a full 10 points. Amazing [illegible] this coin. 3950.00
1847 VF-EF... 145.00
1849 BU, semi P-L Minor [illegible] in Fields. One of the finest known. ... 895.00
1850-O EF-AU. Only 23,900 minted. 350.00
1852-O AU... 375.00
1852 EF-AU... 395.00
1857-S AU... 395.00
1861 EF... 175.00

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H.L., Michigan

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1881-CC BU, scarce in this grade. 795.00
1894-O Choice BU... 375.00
1899 Borderline Unc... 129.00
1899-O BU, scarce issue. Only 37,047 minted... 350.00
1900 AU... 125.00
Choice BU, a virtual gem... 240.00
1901 Choice BU... 195.00

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1904 Brilliant Proof, choice. A really exceptional specimen... 4950.00

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1906-D EF... 139.00

$10 INDIAN GOLD

1907 No Motto, AU. Sharply struck. A nice type coin... 325.00
BU... 595.00
1908 With Motto, EF... 175.00
1909-S AU... 225.00
1910 EF-AU... 189.00
1910-D Choice BU... 350.00
1914 Borderline Unc... 225.00
1914-D Choice BU... 350.00
1914-S Choice BU... 1450.00
1926 BU... 250.00
1932 Choice BU, Almost a gem... 295.00

$20 LIBERTY GOLD

1850 EF... 450.00
1850-O VF-EF... 695.00
1853-O AU, lustrous... 995.00
1855 BU, minor friction in fields. Well struck with full frosty mint lustre. An excellent type coin. ... 995.00
1856 Sharp Unc. Fully struck with frosty mint lustre. This date is excessively rare in Unc. according to Scott's and undervalued in all grades in our opinion. When Fred Davies assembled his complete set of $20 Liberties, 1856 was one of the last 7 dates he could acquire! Buy this coin, and you won't be sorry. ... 2250.00
1873-S BU... 450.00
1876-CC Borderline Unc. Looks BU at first glance. Semi P-L lustre. 650.00
1876-S Frosty BU... 495.00
1889 Choice BU, very scarce in such choice condition... 795.00

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$20 SAINT-GAUDENS GOLD

1907 No Motto, Gem BU. Superb! The best one we've seen in over a year... 550.00
1909-D Choice BU fully struck with minimum bagmarks, full frost and no trace of rub. Rare thus. ... 2950.00
1922 BU... 275.00

COMMEMORATIVE SILVER COINAGE

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BU... 180.00
Choice BU... 200.00
Gem BU... 250.00
Proof, attractively toned... 495.00
Lafayette Dollar 1900 BU... 500.00
Choice BU... 575.00
Wilson Dollar, 1920 Silver, Choice BU... 195.00
Alabama 2oz 1921 Choice BU... 250.00
Alabama 1921 EF... 95.00
Choice BU... 190.00
Albany 1936 Choice BU... 145.00
Antietam 1937 Choice BU... 165.00
Arkansas-PDS Set 1935 Choice BU.. 130.00
1936 PDS Set Choice BU... 130.00
1937 PDS Set Choice BU... 130.00
1938 PDS Set Choice BU... 225.00
1939 PDS Set Choice BU... 650.00
Arkansas Type Coin Choice BU... 39.00
Bay Bridge 1936 Choice BU... 43.00
Daniel Boone 1934 Choice BU... 45.00
1935/34 PDS Set Choice BU.. 750.00
1935 PDS Set, Choice BU... 145.00
1936 PDS Set Choice BU... 135.00
1937 PDS Set Choice BU... 325.00
1938 PDS Set Choice BU... 630.00
Daniel Boone Type Coin Choice BU... 43.00
Bridgeport 1936 Choice BU... 75.00
With original box, Choice BU... 95.00
California Jubilee 1925-S Choice BU... 50.00
Cincinnati 1936 PDS Set Choice BU... 575.00
In original holder of issue, Choice BU... 650.00
Cincinnati Type Coin Choice BU... 195.00

WANT LISTS

Nearly half of the coins we handle never appear in advertisement or catalog. Instead, they are sold immediately to customers who have sent us their want list, since at N.E.R.C.G. want lists are serviced, not ignored. If you are looking for a particular coin, or coins in a particular grade, please send us a list and we will do our best to locate them for you. Of course, there is never any obligation on your part.

COMMEMORATIVE SILVER COINAGE

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Columbia PDS Set 1936 Choice BU... 270.00
Columbia Type Coin, Choice BU . 90.00
Columbia Exposition 1892 Choice BU... 20.00
Gem BU... 27.00
Exposition 1893 BU... 18.00
Choice BU... 20.00
Connecticut 1935, Choice BU... 125.00
Delaware 1936 Choice BU... 105.00
Elgin 1936, Choice BU... 95.00
Gettysburg 1936 Choice BU... 80.00
Grant with star 1922 Borderline Unc... 295.00
Choice BU... 500.00
Grant 1922 Borderline Unc... 37.00
Choice BU... 55.00
Hawaiian 1928 Choice BU... 925.00
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Choice BU... 435.00
Huguenot-Walloon 1924, Choice BU... 45.00
Iowa 1946 Choice BU... 37.00
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Main 1920 EF... 29.00
Choice BU... 70.00
Maryland 1934 Choice BU... 70.00
Missouri 2X4 1921 Choice BU... 450.00
Missouri 1921 Choice BU... 425.00
Monroe 1923-S Choice BU... 54.00
New Rochelle 1938 Choice BU.. 165.00
Norfolk 1936 Choice BU.. 150.00
Oregon Trail 1926 Choice BU... 38.00
1926-S Choice BU... 38.00
1928-S Choice BU... 38.00
1933-D Choice BU... 115.00
1934-D Choice BU... 65.00
1936 Choice BU... 57.00
1936-S Choice BU... 84.00
1937-D Choice BU... 54.00
1938 PDS Set, Choice BU... 125.00
1939 PDS Set, Choice BU... 300.00
Type Coin, Choice BU... 38.00
Panama-Pacific 1915-S Borderline Unc... 175.00
Choice BU... 295.00
Pilgrim 1920 AU... 21.00
Choice BU... 36.00
1921 Choice BU... 90.00
Rhode Island PDS Set 1936 Choice BU... 130.00
Choice BU... 44.00
Roanoke 1937 Choice BU... 54.00
Robinson Arkansas Choice BU... 65.00
San Diego 1935-S Choice BU... 37.00
1936-D Choice BU... 54.00
Sesquicentennial 1926 Borderline Unc... 30.00
Choice BU... 40.00
Spanish Trail 1935 Choice BU... 475.00
Stone Mountain 1925 Choice BU... 22.00
Texas 1934 Choice BU... 38.00

COMMEMORATIVE SILVER COINAGE

Texas 1935 PDS Set Choice BU... 125.00
1936 PDS Set Choice BU... 125.00
1937 PDS Set Choice BU... 150.00
1938 PDS Set Choice BU... 300.00
Type Coin Choice BU... 36.00
Ft. Vancouver 1925 Borderline Unc... 145.00
Choice BU... 225.00
Vermont 1927 Choice BU... 95.00
Bi-Cent. Washington PDS Set 1946 Choice BU... 21.00
1947 PDS Set Choice BU... 28.00
1948 PDS Set Choice BU... 57.00
1949 PDS Set Choice BU... 114.00
1950 PDS Set Choice BU... 80.00
1951 PDS Set Choice BU... 60.00
Type Coin Choice BU... 6.00
Washington-Carver 1951 PDS Set Choice BU... 46.00
1952 PDS Set Choice BU... 52.00
1953 PDS Set Choice BU... 88.00
1954 PDS Set Choice BU... 45.00
Type Coin Choice BU... 6.00
Wisconsin 1936 Choice BU... 86.00
York County 1936 Choice BU... 76.00
Norse Thick 1925 Choice BU... 39.00
Grant 1922 Choice BU... 785.00

COMMEMORATIVE GOLD

Grant with Star 1922, Choice BU... 775.00
La. Purchase/Jefferson 1903 Choice BU... 375.00
Gem BU... 400.00
1903 Choice BU... 375.00
Choice BU, Prooflike, Looks like a proof at first glance... 425.00
Lewis & Clark 1904 Choice BU... 945.00
1905 Choice BU... 945.00
McKinley 1916 Choice Bu... 235.00
Gem BU, P-L... 295.00
1917 Choice BU... 335.00
Pan-Pacific $100 1915-S Choice BU... 215.00
Gem BU... 275.00
$2.50 1915-S Choice BU... 1250.00
Sesquicentennial $2.50 1926 Choice BU... 220.00

PIONEER GOLD

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C. Bechtler, $2.50 NORTH CAROLINA, 75 gr. 20 carats, RUTHERFORD in a circle. Border of large beads. Choice BU, prooflike. An amazing striking, perfectly centered with full margins around beads obverse and reverse. R-7 according to Breen, with 7 or 8 specimens known, of which this is certainly the finest. An incredible coin that will excite even the most advanced specialist in territorial gold. (p.220)... 7750.00

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PIONEER GOLD

Clark, Gruber & Co. $2½, 1861 Choice AU (p.239)... 1295.00
Clark, Gruber & Co. $10, 1861 AU... 1895.00
Moffat & Co. $5, 1849, VF-EF, (p.223)... 750.00

CALIFORNIA GOLD

All coins have been attributed from Kenneth Lee's book, *"CALIFORNIA GOLD"*.

The rarity scale can be interpreted as follows: Rarity 1: 1 to 3 pieces known; Rarity 3: 4 or 5 pieces known; Rarity 2: 6 or 7 pieces known; Rarity 1: 8 to 10 pieces known. In cases where no rarity number is given, the coin can be assumed to be relatively common. Of course, some will be much more common than others.

¼ dollar Round Liberty Head
Undated, Lee #3-C, BU... 95.00
1853 Lee #7A, Choice BU... 105.00
½ dollar Indian Head
1875 Lee #52-A, Choice Proof.. 135.00
1876 Lee #55-E, R-1, Choice BU, P-L... 130.00
1880 Lee #56-A Choice Proof.. 135.00
1881 Lee #57-A Choice Proof.. 135.00
$1 Octagonal, Washington Head
1876 Lee #26-F, Borderline Unc... 210.00
$1 Octagonal Liberty Head
1853 Lee #4-A Choice BU, P-L... 285.00
1860 Lee #13-A Choice BU... 280.00
$1 Round Liberty Head
1870-G Lee #5-A, Unc. Semi P-L Much scarcer than Indian heads of this type... 1850.00

HAWAIIAN COINAGE

1¢ 1847 Choice Brown Unc. Lustrous and sharply struck... 250.00
25¢ 1883 Choice BU... 79.00
50¢ 1883 Gem BU, Superb!... 495.00

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PATTERN COINAGE

1-67 Christian Gobrecht pattern gold dollar. 1836, R-5 struck in gold. Br. Proof slightly impaired. This coin is over 20 times rarer than a $4 gold stella yet sells for about ¼ the price - a fact which has not yet really hit the consciousness of collectors. This pattern should really be in any advanced collection of gold dollars. Buy it before it reaches $25,000! Priced quite reasonably at only... 2950.00

1-208 1858 Indian Cent, same design as 1859 CN, R-4. Choice BU, semi P-L... 450.00

ERRORS

1¢ 1864-Br.. approximately 25% off center, AU... 75.00

25¢ clad Washington entire date obliterated by a giant rimcud 5-7 o'clock. Choice BU... 25.00

MISCELLANEOUS

Gold dollar stick pin, 1856, coin is F-VF, lightly polished. Soldered on back... 50.00

Gold dollar button, coin soldered onto reverse, 1878, coin is VF-EF attractive... 89.00

1875-S Reeded Edge 20¢ piece. Good, some light rivers & scratches. (Edge reeding done outside the mint in our opinion, but a VERY professional job.) Fascinating coin... 49.00

Feuchtwanger cent 1857, Gem toned Unc... 125.00

Lucky token "DIME" on a $1 Type One gold piece. AU, neatly holed. Very attractive appearance... 45.00

1937 Proof Set, cent lightly spotted but otherwise choice... 595.00

LATE ADDITIONS

NOTE: Numerical grades (1-70) according to the Sheldon scale are listed in parenthesis.

COLONIAL COINAGE

New Jersey, 1788, Horse's head facing right, VU(50). Sharply struck with choice surfaces. (p.34)...395.00

Washington, 1783, Unity States, Borderline Brown Unc.(55+). Usual striated periphery, but choice glossy surfaces. Lustrous and pure so fine. (p.52)... 375.00

1920 Gem BU(65). Sharply struck with nearly full mint red. Rare this choice... 350.00

LATE ADDITIONS

INDIAN CENTS

1876 Choice BU(60+)... 115.00
1894 BU(60)... 39.00
1903 Choice BU(60+)... 30.00
1904 Gem BU(65)... 40.00

LINCOLN CENTS

1910-S Gem BU(65)... 65.00
1911-S Choice BU(60+)... 69.00
1912 Choice BU(60+)... 18.00
1912-S Gem BU(65+). Superb!... 95.00
1913-S Choice BU(60+)... 60.00
1914-D Choice BU(60+)... 695.00
1914-S AU(50) cleaned. Full liberties. Looks BU... 35.00
Gem BU(65). Fully struck and in full brilliance. Almost impossible to find this choice. Rarer than the 1914-D!... 395.00
1915 Choice BU(60+)... 72.00
1915-D Choice BU(60+)... 35.00
1921 Choice BU(60+)... 30.00
1924-D Gem BU(65) Quite scarce in this condition... 395.00
1927-S Choice BU(60+) Above average strike for this date... 42.00
1928-D Choice BU(60+)... 22.00
1931-S Gem BU(65)... 59.00

TWO CENT PIECES

1865 Choice Red & Brown Unc.(60+)..135.00

THREE-CENT NICKELS

1865 Choice BU(60+)... 95.00

LIBERTY NICKELS

1883-NC Gem BU(65)... 49.00
1889 Choice BU(60+)... 70.00

BUFFALO NICKELS

1913 Type One, Choice BU(60+)... 29.00
1913-D Type One, Gem BU(65+), superb! 59.00
1914 Choice BU(60+)... 35.00
1914-S Gem BU(65)... 105.00
1918 BU(60)... 50.00
1919 BU(60)... 25.00
1920 Choice BU(60+)... 30.00
1923 Gem BU(65)... 35.00
1924-S Gem BU(65) Fully struck. A beautiful coin... 995.00
1927-D Choice BU(60+)... 59.00
1928-D Choice BU(60+) Sharp strike. ... 29.00
1931-S Choice BU(60+)... 59.00

JEFFERSON NICKELS

1942-P Type Two, Brilliant Proof, choice... 55.00

LATE ADDITIONS

THREE CENT SILVER TYPE ONE

1851 Gem BU(65+) Superb, a fantastic strike... 250.00

BUST HALF DIMES

1835 Large Date, Small 5c, Gem Unc.(65+). Fully struck, beautifully toned and superb!... 495.00

SEATED HALF DIMES

1850-O AU(50) This date is worth $2000 in Gem BU. Reasonable at... 175.00
1861 Gem Unc(65), nicely toned... 235.00

SEATED DIMES

1880-S Toned Unc.(60) Scarce date. One tiny reverse rim nick keeps this out of the choice category... 275.00

BARBER DIMES

1895 Toned Proof. Choice. Scarce issue... 395.00
1897-O Choice BU(60+) Very scarce and underrated issue... 495.00
1898-O Choice BU(60+) One of the scarcest date Barber Dimes in mint state. Incredibly underrated... 395.00
1902-S Gem BU(65) When was the last time you saw this date in Gem BU?... 350.00
1903 Choice BU(60+)... 110.00
1914-S Gem BU(65)... 135.00
1916 BU(60)... 95.00
Choice BU(60+)... 110.00

MERCURY DIMES

1917-S Choice BU(60+)... 49.00
1918-S Toned Unc.(60)... 49.00
1920-D Gem BU(65+) Absolutely superb!... 125.00
1925 Choice BU(60+) Full bands... 55.00
1928-S Choice BU(60+)... 105.00
1929-D Choice BU(60+)... 27.00

SEATED QUARTERS

1844 Gem BU(65+) Superb! Early seated quarters are really rare in this grade... 995.00
1846 Gem Unc.(65) Lightly toned. Fully struck. An exceptional coin... 850.00
1857 Gem Unc.(65+) Beautifully toned with semi P-L surfaces. Superb!... 595.00
1890 Gem BU(65) Low mintage issue. ... 495.00

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LATE ADDITIONS

BARBER QUARTERS

1904-O Choice BU(60+) Scarce issue... 595.00
1905-O Choice BU(60+) Fully struck Scarce so fine... 475.00
1907-O Choice BU(60+) Well struck with light attractive toning..295.00
1916-D Choice BU(60+)... 235.00

STANDING LIBERTY QUARTERS

1917-S Type Two, Gem BU(65).. 170.00
1925 Choice BU(60+) Full head... 139.00
1927 Choice BU(60+) Full head... 139.00

WASHINGTON QUARTERS

1935-S Choice BU(60+)... 42.00

BUST HALF DOLLARS

1836 Lettered edge, Gem BU(65). Almost fully struck and really beautiful... 750.00

SEATED HALF DOLLARS

1848 BU(60) Light golden toning. Fully struck... 495.00

BARBER HALF DOLLARS

1911-S Gem BU(65) This date was $45 when common dates were $17.50. Undervalued?... 695.00
1914 Gem BU(65) Better date Barber coins are really underpriced at these levels... 1250.00
1915 Gem BU(65) Actually scarcer than the 1914, but lower in price... 950.00

WALKING LIBERTY HALF DOLLARS

1917-S Rev. Choice AU(55) Formerly purchased as BU... 110.00

SEATED DOLLARS

1857 Choice BU(60+) Fully struck and beautiful. Quite scarce in this condition... 2250.00

MORGAN DOLLARS

1882-CC Gem BU(65)... 32.00
1883-CC Gem BU(65)... 32.00
1884-CC Gem BU(65)... 32.00
1891 Choice BU(60+) Semi P-L surfaces... 35.00
1891-CC Gem BU(65)... 64.00
1898-S Choice BU(60+)... 135.00
1899-S Choice BU(60+)... 210.00

PEACE DOLLARS

1921 Choice BU(60+)... 132.00
Almost a full strike... 175.00
1923-S Choice BU(60+) ... 20.00
1924-S Choice BU(60+)... 95.00
Borderline Unc.(55+)... 49.00
1925-S Choice BU(60+)... 69.00
1926-S Gem BU (65+) Superb!... 49.00
1934-D Choice BU(60+)... 79.00

LATE ADDITIONS

$1 GOLD TYPE 3

1861 Choice BU(60+)... 450.00
1862 Choice BU(60+)... 450.00

$2½ LIBERTY GOLD

1856-O Borderline Unc.(55+). Very scarce in this condition... 395.00
1872-S AU(50) Lustrous. Scarce issue... 295.00
1902 BU(60)... 165.00
1904 Choice BU(60+)... 195.00
1905 Choice BU(60+)... 195.00

$2½ INDIAN GOLD

$3 LIBERTY GOLD

1878 Choice BU(60+)... 1950.00
1908 Gem BU(65) A blazing jewel... 225.00

LATE ADDITIONS

$5 LIBERTY GOLD

1906 Choice BU(60+)... 150.00

$10 LIBERTY GOLD

1901 Choice BU(60+)... 195.00

COMMEMORATIVE SILVER COINAGE

Lexington 1925 Borderline Unc.(55+)... 32.00

COMMEMORATIVE GOLD

Grant, No Star 1922, Gem BU(65+), Superb!... 895.00
Grant With Star, 1922, Gem BU(65+). Superb! Full hair detail.. 950.00

ERROR COINAGE

1965 10¢, struck in silver. Lustrous EF(45) Rare transitional issue, rarer than the 1943 copper cent. A future $100,000 rarity?.. Price On Request

NOTICE TO COLLECTORS OF WORLD COINS

The market for world coins is gaining daily as was evidenced by the recent A.N.A. auction.

As many of you already know, New England Rare Coin Galleries now has a division that deals exclusively in choice and rare coins of the world, specializing in the European and British Commonwealth coinage.

In the past month, the World Coin Division has greatly expanded its stock and is now in the process of issuing its first all foreign coin price list. If you would like a copy, let us know and we will gladly ship one to you free of charge.

Whether or not you presently collect world coins, we believe that you will enjoy reading this catalog, as world coins represent a fascinating field of collecting.

Lastly, we offer our Investment Program in world coins. Write or call our division's president, David L. Cannon for details.

NEW ENGLAND RARE COIN GALLERIES NEEDS TO BUY COINS, TOO

Coin collectors and investors are faced with a dilemma when it is time to sell. Who should the coins be sold to? What method should be used? (Outright sale for cash? Auction? Private treaty consignment?). And most important, the collector usually wants to go to a reliable dealer where he is assured of the best possible deal. Many collectors and dealers are learning that New England Rare Coin Galleries is just that place.

N.E.R.C.G. purchases hundreds of thousands of dollars in rare coins each month for cash. As the demand for rare coins exceeds the number that collectors and investors can supply us with, we must purchase many (well over 75%) of our coins from other dealers. These are coins which they purchased from collectors at sub-wholesale prices to sell to us! Why not go where top dollar is being paid - to N.E.R.C.G.. Dealers do, why not you?

Our buying interests are not confined to choice and rare U.S. coins. Members of our staff have purchased some of the finest paper money collections sold in the past five years, and our staff is knowledgeable in (and eager to buy) rare foreign crowns, minors and gold.

As coin retailers, we are able to pay top dollar. We have collectors ready and waiting for your rare coins, and we're ready to pay more to get them.

If you do not choose to sell your coins outright, we offer the services of the newly formed New England Rare Coin Auctions. Every auction will be given heavy exposure and catalogued expertly by our staff. Cash advances are available if you wish.

Occasionally, a situation arises where neither outright sale nor auction is the answer. Private treaty sales are sometimes executed by N.E.R.C.G. for a small commission. (We recently sold a mint error for a client for which he received nearly six thousand dollars!) If you have a rare coin, the odds are 99-1 we have a customer for it. If you have a collection, large or small, we definitely have the best facilities to handle it, no matter what means you prefer. (We'll be glad to advise you of the best means of disposing of your collection if you wish.)

No matter how large your collection, we are financially able and numismatically knowledgeable enough to handle it. If you know of a collection for sale, we will be happy to pay a generous finder's fee for your assistance in directing us to it. And even if the "collection" involves only one major coin and nothing else, we're eager to buy it! In fact, the highest price ever paid for a single coin in the history of the American Numismatic Association Convention was paid by N.E.R.C.G.!

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Occupation

Date of Birth

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Signature of Parent

Signature of Applicant

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Jim Halpern LM 1306
Sponsoring Member ANA No.
Bruce Vaughn 52375
Signature of Applicant

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What you do receive and do *not* receive in your investment packages, is of equal importance. You will receive rare coins of outstanding quality, graded correctly and priced fairly. Each coin is personally selected for you by veteran numismatic investment counselors. You will not receive rolls of late date coinage, recently issued proof sets, medals of any kind, modern restrikes, low grade semi-scarce issues, or "tail-end" of "over-stocked" issues. For instance, most coin collections we purchase include some outstanding coins and some not-so-outstanding. We do not pick out the best for our ads and "dump" the remainder on an investment customers; every coin in your package has been our regular rare coin inventory. If we purchase a collection which includes a large quantity of one particular coin, we won't send every investor one just to get rid of it. Each coin is selected because we feel it has excellent investment potential. No coins are included in which the value is primarily based on intrinsic value as such coins fall into the "short term" investment category and do not serve your purpose and objective of [illegible] investment.

In a few short years, N.E.R.C.G. has grown into New England's largest and most active coin company. We are a leading source of rare coins for many major coin companies and several times, our sales to other dealers at a single coin show have totalled well into six figures. By buying from N.E.R.C.G., you too can buy from the sources. We have handled some of the top rarities in all of numismatics. In fact, members of our staff have bought and sold every gold dollar except the 1849 C Open Wreath, every quarter eagle date ever issued, every three dollar gold except the 1875, every $5 gold piece from 1826 to 1929 except the 1841-O and 1854-S, and every $20 gold piece except the 1884, 1861-P Paquet, and 1927-D. With such exposure to rare coins comes expertise, and the staff of professional numismatists at New England Rare Coin Galleries is unexcelled.

Many investors have encountered problems ordering investment packages from other dealers - problems they would never encounter at N.E.R.C.G. For instance, one investor ordered from several companies and the following happened. From company #1 he received a gold commemorative at the "wholesale" price. Had the coin been accurately graded, it would indeed have been a fair price. However, the coin was overgraded a full grade and was only worth about 60% of the asking price. From company #2, he received 2 modern common coins which were accurately graded but overpriced a full 35%. While it is difficult to put an *exact* value on rare coins, these coins were such that an *exact* value could be placed, as they were a modern issue. Anyone could purchase one or one hundred of these coins at 35% less. From company #3 he received nothing. Not until four months and three letters of inquiry later did he finally receive any coins at all! A neat story which serves our purpose, admittedly, but also a true story, as a member of our staff was the "investor" involved. None of these things would ever happen with a N.E.R.C.G. investment package. First of all, each coin is accurately graded personally by company president, Jim Halperin. Secondly, the coin is priced, fairly and competitively, but with the accurate grade taken fully into account. Finally, when your check is received, your coins are shipped promptly. Always. There are no exceptions.

When the coin investor is ready to sell, there are many avenues open to him. If he wishes to sell the coins to us, or through us, we offer our own auction service, New England Rare Coin Auction. A private treaty sale can also be arranged where we will sell the coins for him for a small commission. Or if he prefers, we will purchase the coins outright for cash. Buying or selling, the investor is always treated fairly at N.E.R.C.G. and we strive to give him exactly what he wants.

The services N.E.R.C.G. offers are many, as complete as possible, and we are one of the few rare coin companies which offers coin investments applicable to the Keogh Act, which provides our customers with a sizable tax advantage. In addition, profit-sharing and pension plans are available for funding with rare coins. Investors large and small have the best chance at sizable profits in rare coin investments when they deal with us, as we provide our customers with every possible aid.

No name in numismatics is more respected than New England Rare Coin Galleries. This reputation has been built on accurate grading, fair, realistic prices, excellent service, and overall high business ethics. We have become "the company to see" when seeking rare and choice coins, and our success has been not only in New England, but nation wide.

In addition, in our programs, we provide you with background information on each coin so you know precisely what you have purchased. An explanation of grading (with reference to any special characteristics of this particular coin, such as striking, etc.) and the reason for pricing the coin the way it was priced are also provided.

We also pride ourselves on our expertise in authenticating rare coins. This is very important, as there are many counterfeit coins which we can easily detect because of die characteristics, color, strike, and surfaces - characteristics which can only be spotted by an experienced student of numismatics. Members of our staff are frequently consulted by museums, government agencies, and other dealers for assistance in coin authentication. Every coin sold by N.E.R.C.G. carries a lifetime guarantee of authenticity.

Many of our investors have ordered from us for years, and have shown excellent to amazing profits. We value these customers greatly, and we are happy to say many have told us we are equally valued by them for our counselling and for the high quality and value in rare coins that they have received. The world of numismatic investment awaits you, and New England Rare Coin Galleries would be glad to show you how we can help.

We now have [illegible] programs:

First, our *new-user plan* (minimum order $500). These packages are tailor-made to your needs, and are assembled with the idea of affording you the best possible return based on the expected holding period. Each coin in your package will be individually priced, and any single coin or coins may be returned within 10 days, for any reason, (or for no reason at all).

Second, by popular demand, we have instituted a *monthly program* (minimum order $100 per month). This is for the client who wishes to purchase rare coins on a regular basis. We can help you build a beautiful and worthwhile portfolio over a period of years. Naturally, there is no obligation on your part at any time, and you may discontinue at any time for any reason. Of course, any coin may be returned within 10 days for a full refund.

If you would like to begin, please fill in the order form on the following page, and mail it to us with your check. We will immediately assemble your package and mail it for your approval.

YOUR SATISFACTION

IS ALWAYS GUARANTEED

INVESTMENT PACKAGE ORDER FORM

PLEASE MAIL THIS FORM WITH YOUR CHECK

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE HOME: _____ OFFICE _____

If you have already received a package, and your conditions are unchanged, please check here and we will refer to original copy for necessary information.

PLEASE ANSWER THESE QUESTIONS AS SPECIFICALLY AS POSSIBLE.

1. How long do you expect to hold these coins? (check one) ___ A. Three to five years (our recommended minimum). ___ B. Five to ten years. ___ C. Over ten years. ___ D. Use this space to explain any additional information you have, or facts which might be pertinent to your holding period.

2. Do you have any preferences regarding intrinsic values of coins, specific type of items that you prefer, etc.? (Note: We prefer that you leave these considerations up to us, however we will accommodate any wishes regarding specific interests you may have. Minimum gold coin purchase is $200.) (Check one) (If you want gold and silver only, check A & B.) ___A. I am interested in gold coins only. ___B. I am interested in silver coins only. ___C. I am interested in nickel and copper coins only. ___D. I will leave the selection entirely up to N.E.R.C.G. (Use space below to give us any additional information.)

3. How do you intend to dispose of these coins when it becomes time to sell? Would you like us to give you our recommendations? (Check one) ___ I would prefer to sell by auction. ___ I would prefer to resell them to a dealer. ___ I would like your recommendations when I am ready to sell.

4. Do you know if you will be purchasing more rare coins using this plan in the future? If so, approximately when and in what amounts? (This will help us plan which of the coins that fit into your picture to sell you now and which to plan on selling you later, as we feel certain coins may now be underpriced and others overpriced on a short-term basis although both may have great potential on a long-term basis.)

CHECK ONE

☐ LUMP SUM PLAN (Minimum: $500.00) ☐ MONTHLY PROGRAM (Minimum $100.00)

Note: if you cannot afford to spend $100.00 per month, we will accept orders on an alternate time plan. Please specify any intentions in this regard when answering question #4. Of course, there is never any obligation on your part.

AMOUNT ENCLOSED $_____ ☐ MASTER CHARGE ☐ BANK AMERICARD

ACCOUNT NUMBER _____ BANK NUMBER _____ EXPIRATION _____

SIGNATURE _____

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[illegible] Worcester Road, Framingham Mass., 01701
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(711) free WATS line 1-800-225-3858

We accept Master Charge & Bank Americard.
Please see complete ordering instructions and policies on pages 5 - 7. M-24

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE HOME _____

☐ PAYMENT ENCLOSED ☐ MASTER CHARGE ☐ BANK AMERICARD

CHARGE ACCOUNT NO. _____ BANK NO. _____ EXPIRATION _____

SIGNATURE _____

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	PRICE
	Sub total	
	50¢ Postage if under $10	
ALTERNATE CHOICES:	3% Sales Tax	
	TOTAL ENCLOSED	

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NEW ENGLAND RARE COIN GALLERIES
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FRAMINGHAM, MASS. 01701

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Day Time Phone _____

Quantity	Description	Approximate price you wish to pay

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